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ARRA/ESEA Update

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An ARRA/ESEA Update will be telecast on NETSAT 105 at 10:00 a.m. (Central) on August 16, 2011. The telecast will be no more than one hour. For technical assistance contact the NET Help desk at 800-698-3426. The powerpoint presentation used in the telecast will be posted on the Federal Programs homepage by Friday, August 12, 2011. A DVD of the telecast will be sent to all ESUs following the broadcast.

This Update will include a demonstration of the new Master Calendar, the status of the ARRA reporting, FFATA requirements, and the latest information on the NCLB's AYP and application for 2011-12.

SOSR 2010-2011 Preview: NCLB Qualified Teacher Data Now Available

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The 2010-2011 SOSR Preview now includes NCLB Qualified Teacher data. The "NCLB Qualified Teachers" link is located under the Federal Accountability menu section. The SOSR Preview is accessed via the NDE Portal by selecting the "Preview: State of the Schools Report 2010-2011" link on the "Data Collections" tab. The SOSR Preview will continue to be updated daily to reflect data submitted the prior day until August 12 when the NSSRS "2010-2011 Correction" window closes.

NSSRS "2010-2011 Correction" Closes August 12

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Districts needing to correct 2010-2011 data within the Nebraska Student and Staff Record System (NSSRS) may do so during the "2010-2011 Correction" window, which closes August 12. If data is submitted during this window, the district administrator must approve this collection within NSSRS Data Manager after all corrections have been submitted. Corrections may be submitted to any of the following NSSRS templates using NSSRS Data Manager Collection = "2010-11 Correction":

- Staff Snapshot
- Staff Assignment
- Student
- Student Grades (Including courses completed during summer 2011)
- Student Summary Attendance
- School Enrollment (2010-2011 Completers, including summer 2011 completers)
- Year-end Special Education Snapshot (Snapshot Date = '2011-06-30')
- Assessment Fact (for National Assessment Instrument student results, Reading and Math)
- Assessment Response (for STARS Science student performance)
- Title I Programs (Including students served by Title I during summer 2011)
- Programs Fact: Career Education
- Programs Fact: Early Childhood
- Programs Fact: Homeless
- Programs Fact: Interim

• Post School Survey (School Year = '2010-06-30')

State of the Schools Report Timeline

August 1 – 12	Window for correcting 2010-11 data
August 15	 Districts receive their own NeSA – Reading and Math and Writing results from DRC
August 29	 NeSA – Reading and Math results posted on the NDE homepage (initial public release will be files with the results for the all students group for all schools and districts)
August 22	NSSRS opens for 2011-12 school year data
Mid-	AYP decisions posted on the SOSR Review 2011
September*	 Districts have 30 days to submit appeals of AYP decisions
October 18 – November 10	NSSRS 2010-11 Resubmission window open for drop-out and completer data
October 19	Release of the State of the Schools Report for the 2010-11 school year